

BEFORE  
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF  
SOUTH CAROLINA  
DOCKET NO. 2005-34-WS – ORDER NO. 2005-388  
JULY 20, 2005

IN RE: Application of Haig Point Utility Company,	)	ORDER GRANTING
Inc. for Approval of Adjustment in Rates and	)	EXTENSIONS TO FILE
Charges	)	REBUTTAL AND
	)	SURREBUTTAL
	)	TESTIMONY

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (“Commission”) on the request of Haig Point Utility Company, Inc. (“HPU” or the “Company”) for an extension to file the Company’s rebuttal testimony regarding HPU’s application for an adjustment in the Company’s rates and charges for water and sewer services.

Dates for filing testimony and exhibits in the present docket was set forth in letter, dated April 11, 2005, from the Executive Assistant to Commissioners/Sr. Technical Advisor of the Commission. By this letter, HPU was required to file the Company’s rebuttal testimony and exhibits on or before July 7, 2005.

By letter from counsel for HPU filed July 6, 2005, HPU seeks a one (1) day extension from July 7, 2005, to July 8, 2005, to file rebuttal testimony. To correspond with the one (1) day extension, HPU states that the deadline to file surrebuttal testimony would also be extended for one (1) day from July 12, 2005, to July 13, 2005. As

reasoning for the request, HPU states that the extension is necessitated by unforeseen circumstances affecting one the of the Company's witnesses. HPU asserts that the Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") and Haig Point Club and Community Association, Inc. ("HPCCA"), an intervenor in the present proceeding, have agreed to the requested extension and to the variation in the schedule set forth in the Commission's April 11, 2005 letter.

The Commission finds the request of HPU reasonable, finds that the request will not unduly prejudice any party, and therefore grants the request to extend the date for filing the Company's rebuttal testimony and exhibits. Additionally, we find that the date to file surrebuttal testimony and exhibits should be extended and therefore grant an extension for filing surrebuttal testimony and exhibits. We note that HPU filed the Company's rebuttal testimony with the Commission on July 8, 2005, and that surrebuttal testimony of the ORS was filed with the Commission on July 13, 2005.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. Haig Point Utility Company, Inc.'s request for an extension in which to file rebuttal testimony and exhibits is granted until July 8, 2005.
2. The date to file surrebuttal testimony and exhibits is extended to July 13, 2005.

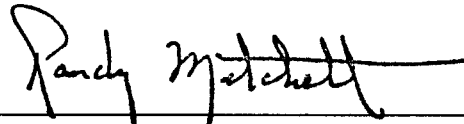
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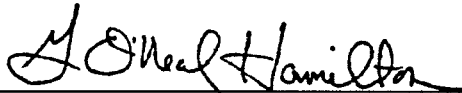
3. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

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Randy Mitchell, Chairman

ATTEST:

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G. O'Neal Hamilton, Vice Chairman

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